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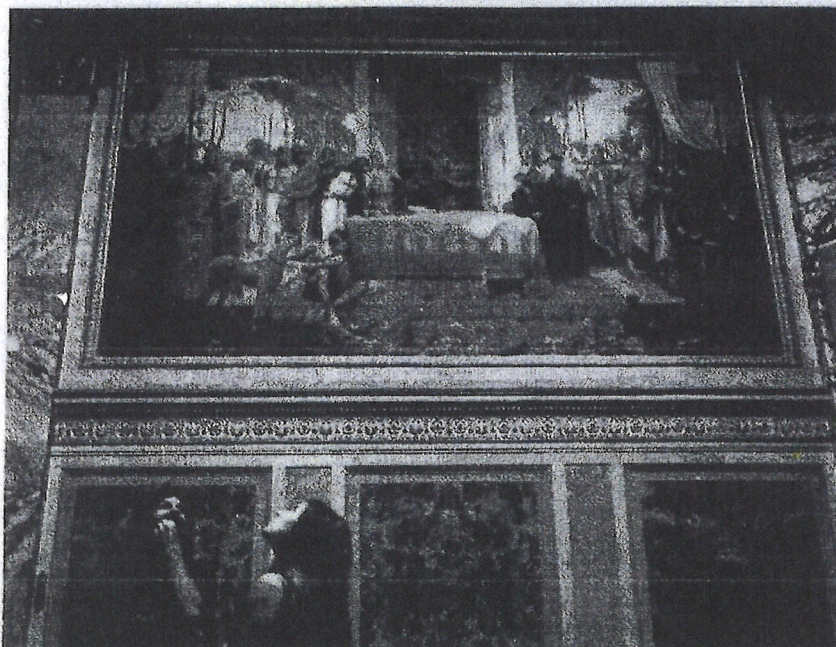


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Installed 100 years ago on the 700th anniversary of the signing of the Magna Carta, a mural by painter Albert Herter hangs on the north wall of the Wisconsin Supreme Court hearing room at the Capitol. Katie Hoemann of Boston and Ludger Hartley from the United Kingdom visited the chambers Friday.

Mural looms large in Capitol



A detail of "The Signing of the Magna Carta" mural depicts a young boy and a dog - a depiction of artist Albert Herter's son.

Before installation 100 years ago, state Supreme Court justices had to be convinced

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The Supreme Court hearing room in the State Capitol has had its share of tension, from disputes over the position of chief justice this year to debates about wall decor 100 years ago.

Monday marks the 800th anniversary of the signing of the Magna Carta, the document that curbed the power of King John of England and established the foundation of America's modern judicial system. It's also 100 years after a

in the Capitol hearing room.

And just like the Magna Carta in 1215, the 1915 mural was met with opposition.

The painting looms large on the left of the Wisconsin Supreme Court Hearing Room at roughly 9 feet tall by 18 feet, 6 inches wide. It's one of the room's four murals, which depict sources of Wisconsin Law: "The Signing of the Magna Carta" depicts English common law, a scene at a trial before Caesar Augustus Octavius depicts Roman law, "The Signing of the Constitution" represents federal law and "The Trial of Chief Oshkosh Before Judge Doty" represents territorial law.

Justice David Prosser described the Magna Carta mural as "spectacular."

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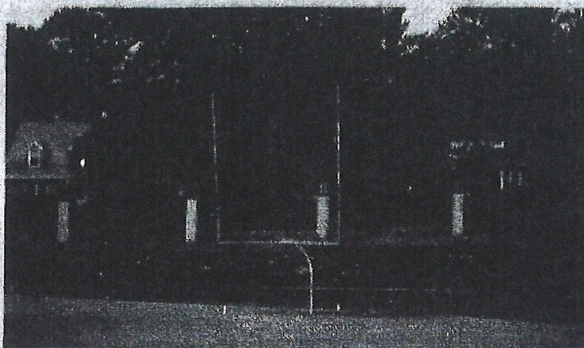
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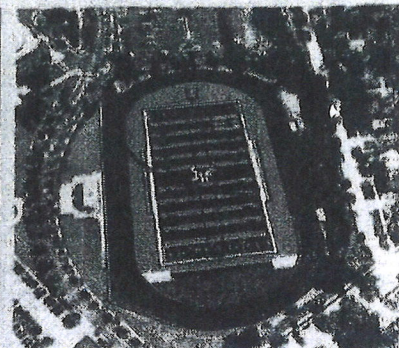
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